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For: METHYLATED GENE BIOMARKERS FOR  
DETECTING CANCER

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS**

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Dear Sir/Madam:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers dated October 7, 2010, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows. This response is submitted concurrently with the payment of the Issue Fee.

**Amendments to the Specification** are reflected at page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 3 of this paper.